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TC-110RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
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Applicant responds herein to the Office Action dated April 4, 2002, wherein a restriction has been required to one of two inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121.

Responsive thereto, the applicant elects the Invention I for prosecution on the merits in the present application. This Invention I is reflected in claims 1-4, drawn to an apparatus classified in class 118 subclass 723R.

If this communication is filed after the statutory time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Commissioner of Patents and Trade-marks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. §1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

Early and favorable consideration of the present application is earnestly solicited.

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